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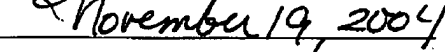
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Responsive to the Official Action dated 5 October 2004, Applicant respectfully request withdrawal of the present Final Rejection as premature in accordance with MPEP 706.07(c) and (d) and reconsideration of the claims of the present Application in view of the following remarks.

Remarks begin on Page 2 of this paper.